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Notice.

All citizens who will entertain some of our Masonic guests next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights please phone me immediately. We shall have many more visitors than the hotels can accommodate. The visitors will expect to pay for their accommodation. Also all who will give the use of their cars to transport the visitors are asked to call and let me have the information. B. M. BOBBITT, Phone 627.

AMUNDSEN IS READY FOR POLE FLIGHT



Roald Amundsen (left) Lieut. Ralph Davison (right) and below, Haskon Hammer.

In a few days Roald Amundsen, famous Arctic explorer, will have fully begun his greatest adventure, a flight over the North Pole. He is leaving Italy in two Italian-built planes with Haskon Hammer, Norwegian flier, Lieut. Ralph Davison, U. S. Navy, a newspaper photo-

grapher, and an Italian assigned to the trip by the government of Italy. He will fly from Pisa by way of Zurich, Heyel, Bergen, Arofsa and Spitzbergen on his way across the polar regions. He will return by way of the United States.

Bald-Headed Men in Favor of Barber Fee

"That's where we shine," declared T. W. Rowzee, postoffice employee and admitted leader of the proposed order of bald-headed men today in discussing the recent decision of barbers to hit a more democratic key in relative charges in tonsorial work, especially in the bobbed-hair department.

Rowzee declared that his prospective organization members had often talked of cheaper neck-line haircuts and the decision of barbers to charge ten cents for clips would meet the situation to their pleasure and financial relief.

Rowzee maintains that many of the avowed members of his organization have required tonsorial labor only on their necks and have been charged in accordance with others who were blessed with a more extensive covering.

MASS MEETING OF FANS POSTPONED FOR TONIGHT

The call mass meeting of Ada baseball fans for tonight to discuss the proposal of Ada becoming a team member of the Interstate League has been indefinitely postponed on account of the inability of the president of the league to come to Ada for the meeting.

According to the announcement of Ralph Wanner, the meeting will probably be called for a later date this week but no definite information on the proposed meeting or the attitude of Ada toward membership in the league could be obtained.

Postponement of the meeting for tonight came as a result of a message from the league president stating that illness in his family made it impossible for him to attend the meeting.

Geraldine Farrar To Venture Alone In Opera Concerts

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NEW YORK, April 9.—Geraldine Farrar, American opera singer who for 16 years shared honors at the Metropolitan opera house with Enrico Caruso, will make an independent venture in grand opera next fall according to C. J. Foley of Boston, her manager.

After two years of constant travel Miss Farrar is to take a tour as far as the Pacific coast with a company of her own in "Carmen" with an orchestra for the company, according to Foley, directed by a former conductor of the Metropolitan. The company, he said, will have its special railway equipment including a private car for Miss Farrar.

HARLAN STONE ARRIVES TO TAKE OVER NEW DUTIES

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WASHINGTON, April 9.—Harlan H. Stone, the new attorney general, arrived in Washington today, conferred with President Coolidge, then inquired of a White House policeman "where the department of justice is," and went to his office to be sworn in and take over his new duties.

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Unofficial Representative of United States to Have Prominent Part

TWO REPORTS MADE

Proposed Establishment of Gold Banks to Insure Payment From Germany

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PARIS, April 9.—The report of the experts who have been engaged for the past three months in the task of ascertaining Germany's capacity to pay reparations was handed to the reparations commission today. The two committees were under the chairmanship of Brig. Gen. Charles G. Dawes and Reginald McKenna.

The League of Nations is drawn into the reparations problem by the Dawes report and an unofficial representative of the United States is slated for an important place in the execution of the experts' plan. The American member of the general board of control for the proposed new gold bank of issue is quite likely to fill the important post of "commissioner." His duty will be to decide when Germany's capacity has been reached while the League committee will be asked to arbitrate any commissioner's decision in applying the "index of prosperity" if disturbed by either Germany or the allies.

Recognizing the obligation of Germany to pay and declaring she had the resources with which to pay the experts take the view that if Germany is to pay she must have her hands free to work out her problems and make the most of her resources.

Leave Industries Free. Carefully avoiding any mention of the Ruhr, the report makes it plain that France and Belgium must satisfy themselves by leaving garrisons in the Ruhr, if they so desire, but must keep their hands off the Ruhr railways and Ruhr industries.

The first prerequisite of the payment of reparations, the experts asserted, is sound money in Germany. They propose to this end the establishment of a new gold bank of issue with 400,000,000 gold marks capital in the organization of which they make it to the interest of Germany as well as to the advantage of the allies to co-operate.

Germany, they say, will be placed in a position that will enable her to meet her own requirements and raise an amount to apply on reparations as contemplated in the plan. These payments provide for a sliding schedule running from 116,000,000 gold marks in 1926 to 2,500,000,000 in 1934.

In order to further prevent these payments from affecting adversely Germany's finances, an index of prosperity had been fixed to make it possible to judge whether the amounts of the scheduled payments are or are not beyond her capacity.

Slides With Resources. When the resources exceed the index supplementary payments are to be made in proportionate amounts when the index falls the payments are to be reduced accordingly. The subsequent supplementary payments should not become due until allowances have been made for previous deductions.

At this point the League of Nations is brought into the plan. Any disputed point upon obligation under the statistics of the index as to be referred to the finance section of the League for arbitration.

Germany's railroad system, estimated by the experts to be worth 26,000,000,000 gold marks, is in their opinion able to pay as high as 1,000,000,000 gold marks annually. For it a blanket mortgage of 11,000,000,000 gold marks is proposed, said mortgage to bear 5 per cent interest and 1 per cent sinking fund.

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The covering letter of General Dawes follows:

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this week but no definite informa-
tion on the proposed meeting or the
attitude of Ada toward membership
in the league could be obtained.

Postponement of the meeting for
tonight came as a result of a mes-
sage from the league president stat-
ing that illness in his family made
it impossible for him to attend the
meeting.

Local sponsors of the league de-
clared that little progress could be
made without an official of the
league present to explain the propo-
sition.

Geraldine Farrar To Venture Alone In Opera Concerts

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, April 9.—Geraldine
Farrar, American opera singer who
for 16 years shared honors at the
Metropolitan opera house with En-
rico Caruso, will make an independ-
ent venture in grand opera next fall
according to C. J. Foley of Boston,
her manager.

After two years of constant travel
Miss Farrar is to take a tour as
far as the Pacific coast with a con-
tingent of her own in "Carmen" with
orchestra for the company, ac-
cording to Foley, directed by a form-
er conductor of the Metropolitan.
The company, he said, will have its
special railway equipment including
a private car for Miss Farrar.

HARLAN STONE ARRIVES TO TAKE OVER NEW DUTIES

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, April 9.—Harlan
H. Stone, the new attorney general,
arrived in Washington today, con-
ferred with President Coolidge, then
inquired of a White House police-
man "where the department of jus-
tice is," and went to his office to be
sworn in and take over his new du-
ties.

REPARATION DUE FROM GERMANY IS TEXT OF REPORT

Unofficial Representative of
United States to Have
Prominent Part

TWO REPORTS MADE

Proposed Establishment of
Gold Banks to Insure Pay-
ment From Germany

(By the Associated Press)

PARIS, April 9.—The report of
the experts who have been engaged
for the past three months in the
task of ascertaining Germany's ca-
pacity to pay reparations was handed
to the reparations commission to-
day. The two committees were under
the chairmanship of Brig. Gen.
Charles G. Dawes and Reginald Mc-
Kenna.

The League of Nations is drawn
into the reparations problem by the
Dawes report and an unofficial re-
presentative of the United States is
 slated for an important place in the
execution of the experts' plan. The
American member of the general
board of control for the proposed
new gold bank of issue is quite
likely to fill the important post of
"commissioner." His duty will be to
decide when Germany's capacity has
been reached while the League com-
mittee will be asked to arbitrate
any commissioner's decision in ap-
plying the "index of prosperity" if
disturbed by either Germany or the
allies.

Recognizing the obligation of
Germany to pay and declaring she
had the resources with which to pay
the experts take the view that if
Germany is to pay she must have
her hands free to work out her
problems and make the most of her
resources.

Leave Industries Free.
Carefully avoiding any mention
of the Ruhr, the report makes it
plain that France and Belgium
must satisfy themselves by leaving
garrisons in the Ruhr, if they so de-
sire, but must keep their hands off
the Ruhr railways and Ruhr indus-
tries.

The first prerequisite of the pay-
ment of reparations, the experts as-
serted, is sound money in Germany.
They propose to this end the estab-
lishment of a new gold bank of is-
sue with 400,000,000 gold marks
capital in the organization of which
they make it to the interest of Ger-
many as well as to the advantage of
the allies to co-operate.

Germany, they say, will be placed
in a position that will enable her to
meet her own requirements and
raise an amount to apply on repa-
rations as contemplated in the plan.
These payments provide for a slid-
ing schedule running from 110,000,
000 gold marks in 1926 to 2,500,
000,000 in 1934.

In order to further prevent these
payments from affecting adversely
Germany's finances, an index of
prosperity had been fixed to make it
possible to judge whether the
amounts of the scheduled payments
are or are not beyond her capacity.

Slides With Resources.
When the resources exceed the
index supplementary payments are
to be made in proportionate amounts
when the index falls the payments
are to be reduced accordingly. The
subsequent supplementary pay-
ments should not become due until
allowances have been made for
previous deductions.

At this point the League of Na-
tions is brought into the plan. Any
disputed point upon obligation un-
der the statistics of the index as to
be referred to the finance section of
the League for arbitration.

Germany's railroad system, esti-
mated by the experts to be worth
26,000,000,000 gold marks, is in
their opinion able to pay as high as
1,000,000,000 gold marks annually.
For it a blanket mortgage of 11-
000,000,000 gold marks is proposed,
said mortgage to bear 5 per cent
interest and 1 per cent sinking
fund.

German industry under the plan
is expected to provide 5,000,000,000
gold marks also on a mortgage bear-
ing the same rate of interest as the
railroad bonds.

PARIS, April 9.—Brig. Gen.
Charles G. Dawes, the unofficial
American representative on the first
committee which examined into the
economic and financial situation in
Germany, in a covering letter on the
report of his committee, tells the
reparations commissions that the
committees' recommendation "must
be considered not as inflicting pen-
alties, but as suggesting means for
assisting the economic recovery of
all European peoples and the entry
upon a new period of happiness and
prosperity unmenaced by war."

The covering letter of General
Dawes follows:

"To the President of the Repara-
tions Commission:

"Sir: Your committee has un-
animously adopted a report upon
the means for balancing the Ger-
man budget and the measures to
be taken to stabilize its currency
which I now have the honor to sub-
mit."

"Deeply impressed by a sense of
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
FINALLY, BRETHREN, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.—Philippians 4:8.

EVERYBODY PAYS TAXES.

The man who owns real estate, stocks or bonds does not pay all the taxes. The man who has no visible property to render may flatter himself that he is escaping the tax collector, but he is paying just the same. Every time he buys a loaf of bread he helps pay the miller's and baker's tax. He pays the tax on the house he rents, on the suit of clothes he buys, and on everything he purchases, from a package of pins to a new dining-room suit. He can't escape. Taxes have a great deal to do with the cost of living. The poor man pays his share and frequently more, and for that reason he should be as greatly interested in reducing the cost of government as his neighbor who goes to the office of the assessor and renders property for taxation each year.

The man who advocates Government aid for various projects, such as highways, irrigation-dams, education and the like, or the man who says let the Government buy the products of the farm in order to stabilize prices, has to pay his share of the expenses. The Government gets the money it spends, out of the pockets of the people, and no man escapes making his regular contribution. A proposition to have the Government pay half of the expenses in constructing a highway through the county is attractive, but every taxpayer in that county is contributing to the cost of building highways across the counties in all the other states in the Union. In the end, he is not as well off as he would have been had he paid for his own road and not been forced to pay for roads in other counties.

Government aid is a swindle. It is another way devised to create more fat for office seekers and to fasten upon the States and counties of which they are composed, the power of the Government at Washington. The bait is attractive, but it conceals a barbed hook. However, our politicians generally have swallowed the bait, hook and all, and we have fastened upon us a policy of paternalism which will be hard to shake off. We accept our share of Government aid because we have to pay for the tax for somebody else, and nothing is to be gained and much to be lost by refusing. The only way the people can be relieved of this extra burden is to discontinue the practice altogether.—Farm and Ranch.

The Dawes committee on reparations has decided that Germany can pay quite a bit of money to the allies if she will. The next question is ways and means of making her come across. In view of her attitude in the past it is not to be presumed that Germany will accept the report with a very good grace. It would be an acknowledgement on the part of German leaders that their country was really licked in the war, something they have made their people believe never happened. However, Germany will have one grievance that may be weighed along with other considerations and that is that no definite sum was fixed by the committee, hence Germany has no way of knowing when she could expect to finish paying, but this can be worked out since a basis for a settlement is now proposed.

An aged negress, who claims prophetic powers, predicts destruction to a large part of Oklahoma the latter part of May. In a vision she has seen a flood second only to the deluge of Noah's time, which will extend from Gainesville, Texas, to Oklahoma City. The latter town is to be wiped out because of its wickedness and the capital is to be restored to Guthrie. The seeress advises all who desire to escape the wrath to come to lose no time in getting a foothold at Guthrie which is now to come into its own. Evidently a flood of that size will reach Ada so perhaps the natives had better arrange their affairs accordingly.

Perhaps the Michigan Democrats know what they are about but at this distance it looks like they are going to a lot of unnecessary trouble trying to rope Henry Ford into the party. Although Ford sometime ago declared himself in favor of Coolidge, the Democrats of Michigan in the recent primary gave him the indorsement of the state for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Occasionally a man has to "go to the mat" with some guy who refuses to be satisfied with anything else, but the wise man does this as seldom as possible. He prefers to travel on an even keel and attend to the important matters of life and business. However, we have seen men who liked a row so well that they constantly sought opportunities to "go to the mat" with some fellow who held an opinion different from their own.

Between enthusiastic drives for Sunday school attendance and the indicting of half a dozen former bankers, Ardmore is keeping pretty well in the limelight. On top of that Lee Cruce has come home and is threatening to run for the United States senate. You can't keep Ardmore off the front page.

Reparation Due From Germany is Text of Report

(Continued from Page One)
its responsibility to your commission and to the universal conscience the committee bases its plan upon those principles of justice, fairness and mutual interest in the supremacy of which not only the creditors of Germany and Germany itself, but the world also have a vital and enduring concern.

"With these principles fixed and accepted in that common good faith which is the foundation of all business and the best safeguard for universal peace, the committee's recommendations must be considered not as inflicting penalties but as suggesting a means for assisting the economic recovery of all European peoples and the entry upon a new period of happiness and prosperity unmenaced by war.

Must be Encouraged.
"Since, as a result of the war, the creditors of Germany are paying taxes to the limit of their capacity, so also must Germany be encouraged to pay taxes from year to year to the limit of her capacity. This is the accordance with the just and underlying principle of the treaty of Versailles, reaffirmed by Germany in its note of May 29, 1919, that the German scheme of taxation must be fully as heavy as proportionally as that of the other powers represented on the commission. More than this limit could not be expected and less than this would relieve Germany from the common hardship and give to her an unfair industrial advantage in the composition of the future. The plan of the committee embodies this principle.

"The plan has been made to include flexible adjustments which from the very beginning tend to produce a maximum of contributions consistent with the continued and increasing productivity of Germany the constructive estimates of payment to be made in the near future are dictated by business prudence in outlining the basis of a loan and should not destroy the perspective as to the effects to be registered in the aggregate of eventual payments which will annually increase.

"With normal economic conditions and with productivity restored in Germany, the most hopeful estimates of the amounts receivable are justified. Without such restoration, such payments as may be retained will be of little value in meeting urgent needs of creditors nations.

"To insure the permanence of the new economic peace between the allied governments and Germany, which involves the economic adjustments presented by the plan, there are provided the counterparts of these usual economic precautions which are recognized as essential in all business relations involving express obligations.

"The existence of safeguards in no way hampers or embarrasses the ease of ordinary business contracts. The thorough effectiveness of these safeguards should not embarrass the normal economic functioning of Germany and is of fundamental import to Germany and her creditors.

Care in Finding Conditions.
Great care has been taken in fixing the conditions of the supervision over Germany's internal organization so as to impose a minimum of interference consistent with proper protection. The plan submitted is fair and reasonable in its nature and, if accepted, is likely to lead to ultimate and lasting peace. The rejection of these proposals by the German government means the deliberate choice of a continuance of economic demoralization, eventually involving her people in hopeless misery.

"In the preparation of this report the committee has carefully covered a broad field of investigation. It has held the constant cooperation of able staffs of experts in gathering information, digesting it and presenting it. The committee has conducted on the ground an examination of officials of the German government and representatives of German labor, agriculture and industry. It has received from the German government and its representatives voluminous and satisfactory answers in response to written inquiries. In its connection with various features of its report, both for the purpose of gathering information and for advice, the committee called to its assistance outside experts of international reputation. The published reports and statements of economists of world-wide standing have been in its hands. It has had also the benefit of the accumulated information heretofore gathered by the reparations commission.

Held Forty-Eight Meetings
"In its work the full committee

ORDERS 38 MILES OF ROAD ABANDONED
OKLAHOMA CITY.—Abandonment of 38 miles of railroad track belonging to the Rock Island railroad between Chandler and Guthrie was ordered by the state corporation commission today.

The company made application for the order some time ago and it was shown that \$60,000 was lost annually to maintain the stretch of road. More than \$100,000 would have been required to put the road in good condition it was claimed.

The road was originally laid out between Denver and the Oklahoma coal fields but only the 38-mile stretch was ever completed.

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has had since January 14, 1924, forty-eight meetings. The sub-committee on the stabilization of currency, composed of M. Parmentier, Sir R. M. Kindersley, M. Emile Prunquill and Professor F. Flora, assisted by Mr. Henry M. Robinson and under the chairmanship of Mr. Owen D. Young, has held 68 meetings, and the sub-committee on balancing the German budget, composed of M. Alix, Baron Houtart and Dr. Pierelli, under the chairmanship of Sir J. C. Stamp, has held 60 meetings. These sub-committees have also had the assistance of Mr. Andrew McFadyen, the general secretary of the reparations commission. The time of the committee, outside of that consumed in its meetings, has been given largely to investigation and study.

"In speaking of my colleagues, and as bearing upon the value of this report, I feel that I should make known to the reparations commission and to the world that their governments have in no way limited their complete independence of judgment and action, either before or after appointment, by the reparations commission. Limited only by the powers granted by the commission, each of my colleagues has performed his work as a free agent. These men searching for truth and advice thereon were answerable only to their own consciences. In granting this freedom, the governments have on the same lines followed the commission's spirit and intent in constituting the committee, but in so doing they have paid the highest tribute which governments can bestow, namely, complete confidence in a time of crisis in human affairs. In their vision, in their independence of thought and above all in their spirit of high and sincere purpose, which rises above the small things over which the small often stumble, my colleagues have shown themselves worthy of this trust.

"That their work, which I now place in the commission's hands, may assist in the discharge of the commission's great responsibilities is their prayer and the knowledge hereafter that it has done so will be their full reward.

(Signed) "CHARLES G. DAWES,"
"Chairman"

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
The News is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the Democratic Primary, August 5, 1924.

For Sheriff:
A. C. (AL) NABORS
W. B. WALKER

For County Commissioner Dist. 1:
W. H. BRUMLEY
H. CLAY STEPHENS

For Commissioner District No. 2:
C. J. (Charles) LASEMAN.

For Commissioner, District No. 3:
BOB BROOKS.
W. H. BRENTS.

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
MRS. PARRIE BRITT
A. FLOYD

For County Treasurer:
ALBERT CHAMBERLAIN.
J. W. WESTBROOK (2nd term)

For Court Clerk:
L. E. FRANKLIN.

Preparations Being Made for Conclave Of DeMolay Members

(By the Associated Press)
ENID, Okla., April 9.—Preparations are being made for the state conclave of DeMolays which will be held here May 1, 2 and 3. It is expected that more than 1,000 members of the junior organization of the Masonic fraternity and several hundred relatives and Masons will attend the meeting, which will be the third annual conclave the Oklahoma DeMolay have held.

The executive committee, of which J. J. Allen, Enid, is chairman, has charge of the arrangements. Local civic clubs and Masonic bodies are aiding in the preparation of the program.

There are 50,000 members of DeMolay in Oklahoma in 104 chapters. It was established in this state in 1921 and the first state conclave was held in Muskogee, 1922, and the second in Norman the following year.

Carlton Stentz, Oklahoma City is president and Ned Hood, Cherokee, secretary.

MRS. FREER WINS SUCCESS FOR ART
American Art May Trace its Impetus Back to Efforts Of Woman

CHICAGO, April 9.—Laboring over a long period of years in behalf of American art, especially opera in the English language, Mrs. Archibald Freer, composer, and social leader of this city, is credited by her friends as having achieved a notable success. No fewer than 70 operas in English by American composers are now in production, or ready to be heard, all due to Mrs. Freer's untiring efforts.

In the Opera in Our Language Foundation of which she is national chairman, associated with numerous society patrons of art, Mrs. Freer last season was instrumental in the staging here of four American operas, each under native auspices, stage manager, director and assistants. Abetted by the David Bispham Memorial Fund, Mrs. Freer is beginning to feel her "carrying on," at times alone and against the tide, has given the public a taste of what can be done.

"We are trying to show the American public, in small groups, that they can produce American operas in their own communities by using only such orchestration as they can furnish in their own district," Mrs. Freer explains. "The average small orchestra, with local singers, can interpret American opera as well as they can produce a comedy with interpolated popular songs. The small accompanying orchestra brings American opera to the small community."

Some of the operas whose premieres have recently been given are "Shanewis," by Cadman; "The Corsican Girl," by Browne; "The Temple Dancer," by Hugo; "Love's Sacrifice," by Chadwick; "The Cricket on the Hearth," and "The Legend of the Piper," the latter presented at South Bend, Indiana, by the music department of the Progress Club with a cast composed entirely of women. These, with several others to have been produced by the Chicago Civic Opera Company.

CROWLEY SELECTED HEAD OF NEW YORK CENTRAL LINES
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Trachoma Spreading in Spain
MADRID.—Doctor Jenaro Gonzalez, the famous Spanish ophthalmic physician, in an open letter to the newspapers, makes an urgent appeal to the government to start a campaign against the disease trachoma, which he says affects thousands of victims in Spain owing to the lack of precautions against it such as are common in other countries.

The doctor says the disease affects most widely the districts of Barcelona, Valencia, Alicante and Almeria, where it is spreading in alarming proportions. Even in Madrid and its surrounding provinces an increase of cases recently has been reported, and in Valladolid the official returns are alarming.

DEFENDANTS IN FRAUD OF MAILS CASE ENTER PLEA

(By the Associated Press)
TEXARKANA, Ark., April 9.—Hy Garland of Fort Worth, Texas, and George M. Ferrell of El Dorado, Ark., indicted jointly with Howard Morton and Pat Mayr on charges of using the mails to defraud in connection with promotion of stock selling activities in the South Arkansas oil fields, entered a plea of guilty when the trial of Morton and those indicted with him was resumed in United States district court here today.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

Lamplighter Slept Four Days
LONDON.—The little town of Aughtnacloy in Ulster, was in darkness for four nights, all because the lamplighter Peter Moore wasn't on the job. Moore established the town record by sleeping four days and four nights, and was only aroused when neighbors broke into his house.

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City Briefs

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A. M. Bailey made a business trip to Stowall today.

For service car call 44. 311-1m

T. P. Holt left today for Sulphur where he went on business.

Central Cafe — "A good place to eat." 4-2-1mo

S. H. Mount made a business trip to Weleetka today.

Beautiful golden yellow female canary for sale. Phone 1187. 4-9-2*

Judge Huffer made a business trip to Holdenville today.

See W. T. Melton for Cid Loans. 4-8-1m

Polk Smith left today for Holdenville where he went on business.

We call for chickens, 419. 3201m

C. M. Long made a business trip to Vanoss today.

Phone 10 for service car. Buchanan and Downing. 4-3-1m*

J. B. Hearst of Ardmore, entered the Breco hospital this morning.

Springtime is here. Select your plants before they are all picked over. Ada Greenhouse. 4-8-1t

Mrs. Tal Crawford is reported as not doing so well today.

VEGETABLE PLANTS strictly cash. Ada Greenhouse, Ada, Okla. 4-3-6t

Clyde Meadors of the Hale-Halsell Grocery Company made a business trip to Coalgate today.

The Young Matrons Circle of the First Christian Church will hold a food and Easter egg sale Saturday, April 19. 4-9-2t

Miss Lucas, who has been visiting relatives in Ada left today for Oklahoma City.

See W. E. Harvey for used Fords, all models phone 696. 4-3-1mo

We do not CHARGE any vegetable plants. Ada Greenhouse. 4-3-6t

A. Lewis and wife left Tuesday for Sherman where Mr. Lewis will probably undergo an operation.

See W. E. Harvey for used Fords, all models phone 696. 4-3-1mo

When you buy FLOUR, don't forget that good flour HELIOTROPE, for all cooking. Sold by leading grocers. 4-9-2t

Mrs. Chas. Heth and little son are the guests of Mrs. Heth's mother, Mrs. A. H. Constant.

Cars washed and greased \$1.50. Phone 54. Red Ball Filling Station. 3-26-1t

Mrs. C. A. Shelby, 125 South Hope, is reported recovering from an attack of measles.

For high grade PIANO TUNING phone 456 at once. R. C. BISHOP, Piano Artisan-Tuner. 3-17-1m

G. D. Koonce recently arrived from Biggar Saskatchewan, Canada, for an extended visit with his family.

Motor Sales Co. parts and accessories for all cars. 3-12-1t

SEYBOLD 75c CLEANERS 2-18-2m*

Miss Marjorie Jackson, who underwent an operation at the Ada hospital some time ago, was able to be taken to her home today.

We drain and wash your crank case free. Thee Square Deal Service and Filling Station. 10-3-1t

We will call for chickens. Ada Poultry and Egg Co. 1-11-1m

W. J. B. McAnnally underwent an operation for appendicitis this morning at the Breco hospital and is reported to be resting fairly well.

Rev. Steele of Stowall underwent an eye operation at the Breco hospital this morning. Dr. McNew attending.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00. H. Claude Pitt, phone 171. 1-8-1t

Mrs. L. E. Mays and sons, Jack Edward and Louis Allen, of Sapulpa were called here Sunday evening by the illness of A. Lewis, father of Mrs. Mays.

Russell Battery Co., Willard Service and Sales. Phone. 140. 8-6-1m

Mrs. J. B. Emery received a telegram last night announcing the death of her sister, Mrs. Charles Emery at New Orleans, La. Interment will be at Sedalia, Mo.

We will call for chickens. Ada Poultry and Egg Co. 1-11-1m

Who sells Federal Tires? Thee Square Deal! 11-12-1t

Prof. R. R. Robinson was down from Oklahoma City for a few hours today. He says Mrs. Robinson is not improving and is in a serious condition. Little change has been noted within the last several days.

"START THE DAY RIGHT" WEAR A RUFFLY NEGLIGEE



This charming negligee of breakfast coat as it is called, of ruffled chiffon is intended to start the fair wearer's day right. It is developed in seafarin green over woodcut brown with a cluster of bright red chiffon grapes on the left shoulder and at the closing.

McCary Bros., can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 555. 116-18 S. Townsend. 7-7-1t

Mrs. S. R. Parish, mother, and Sam Parish, brother of Mrs. E. C. Hunter, and wife of Huntsville, Texas, arrived this morning for an extended visit.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN TO MEET

(Continued from Page One)

Installation, "Installing Officer", Mrs. O. E. Cramer, Muskogee.

Prayer for Our Missionaries.—Mrs. Ed. Lowe, Pauls Valley.

Friday, April 11th, 4:30 p. m. Young People's Hour.

The Best Year Forward.—Miss Thelma Roberts, Ada.

Training for Leadership.—Mrs. S. I. Lindsay, St. Louis.

Your Problems.—Young People's and Children's Secretaries.

Friday, April 11th, 6:30 p. m. Young People's Banquet with Echoes from Summer Conferences.

Girl's chorus.

Friday, April 11th, 8:00 p. m. Young People's Evening.

Miss Thelma Roberts, Young People's Secretary, presiding.

Presentation of Tithing Cup and Standard of Excellence Banner.

Violin Solo.—Miss Marjorie Jackson, Ada.

Pageant.—Ada Young People's Address.—Mrs. S. I. Lindsay, St. Louis.

Offering.

COTTON FUTURES ADVANCE FIVE DOLLARS ON SALE

(By the Associated Press)

NEW ORLEANS, April 9.—Cotton futures advanced \$5 a bale here this morning. The advance in prices during the past two days has reached \$15 a bale. May contracts traded at 32.25 cents were 53 points over yesterday's close. The Dawes report helped the advance. All tenderable stock is said to be a few strong hands.

WALTON DISMISSES WRIT OF HABEAS CORPUS APPEAL

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 9.—J. C. Walton, former governor, today dismissed his application in the criminal court of appeals for a writ of habeas corpus. The writ had been sought after Walton cancelled his bond on a charge of diverting state funds and caused himself to be technically committed to jail.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

Will have 20 candidates for first degree Thursday night. Ice cream served by Rebekahs after degree work. 4-8-3t*

OBITUARY

MRS. C. C. NAIL
Mrs. Roxie Nail, wife of Charles C. Nail, died this morning at 7:20 at the family residence, 616 West Eighth. Funeral services will be conducted from the home Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. W. H. Nettles officiating. Interment at Rosedale cemetery.

PARIS PRISON TO BECOME MUSEUM

Famous Old Medieval Prison To Become Scene of Instruction

(By the Associated Press)

PARIS.—The old "Conciergerie", the medieval prison on the Island of the City in the heart of Paris, will be transformed into a "Museum of Justice and Police," where children of the primary and high schools, may come to study the evolution of the methods of detecting crime and administering justice through the ages.

The sombre walls of the prison, with its dark dungeons, still contain all the instruments of torture in use during feudal times to extract confessions from men charged with misdemeanors. Documents showing the plots, counter-plots and intrigues of the Renaissance, and the uprising and violence of the revolution during the Revolution have been preserved in its cellars.

A bill has been introduced in the Chamber of Deputies by M. Petitjean, requesting the government, in view of the great crime wave now sweeping France, murders, acts of violence and thefts, to gather these historical relics into a museum, so as to instill into the minds of youth a salutary fear and horror of crime.

All the political upheavals and religious wars of the last thousand years have contributed to the history of the prison, which has been the scene of the execution of kings of France. It was rebuilt by Louis XV, and became a prison under Charles V, who in 1534 placed there in "iron and chains a certain number of citizens of Lyons and the Nivernais, who had raised the standard of rebellion against his rule.

In the fifteenth century the Count of Armagnac, Grand Constable of France, six bishops, several members of parliament, and a number of women and children, were massacred there without mercy by the populace.

Count Louis de Berquin, a nobleman from Picardy, was burned alive there by order of Francis I.

Catherine de Medicis had Count Montgomery put to death within the prison walls.

Ravalliac, the assassin of Henry IV, was tortured and quartered in the yard, which now serves as a stable for the horses of the Parisian mounted police.

Domitien, who attempted to slay Louis XV, and Cartouche, the famous highwayman, were guests of the prison under the last of the Bourbons.

During the Revolution more than 1,200 prisoners were packed in the building when the mob broke down the doors and massacred the majority of them. It later became known as the "waiting room for the guillotine."

Marie Antoinette, Madame Elizabeth, the sister of Louis XVI, and Robespierre, awaited their trials in the Conciergerie.

The aspect of the building is forbidding, three high towers command the entire Island. In the largest tower is found the "hall of tortures" so often described by writers.

Floating Fair for South America

COLOGNE.—A German floating fair will sail in July to make a tour of the ports of South America. The fair will be installed on the steamer Hermata Therosia. Representatives of the firms which are participating will accompany the ship and endeavor to restore business relations severed by the war. Czechoslovakian, German, Austrian and Hungarian firms will be included among the exhibitors.

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THURSDAY

CHICAGO BLACKIE IN PERSON

Zola, the year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Neveles of Bebe, died this morning at 11 o'clock at the Ada hospital where she had been brought for treatment. The body will be taken to Bebe for interment Thursday.

Proprietor of Katy Rooms Facing Bowdy House Charge Now

W. L. Odom, proprietor of the Katy Rooms on East Main street, was arrested yesterday by the county officers on a charge of running a bawdy house and his case set for disposal at the next session of county court.

Odom's arrest followed his arrest and payment of a fine in city court on a charge of conducting a disorderly house.

Three girls will testify of improper conditions at the Katy rooms, according to information from officials prosecuting the case.

Retail Merchants Add Collections Department Now

The Retail Merchants Association has added a collection department under the supervision of the secretary, J. E. Williams. Miss Grace Bean has been employed to make the collections.

Mr. Williams explained that members of the Association who have collections they cannot make can turn the accounts over to the secretary and Miss Bean will be instructed and the office will carry on a regular collection business for the members.

GOVERNOR TRAPP SLATED FOR GRIDIRON BANQUET

(By the Associated Press)

NORMAN, Okla., April 9.—Governor Trapp, several other state officials and editors of the larger newspapers of the state will be the guests of honor at the annual gridiron banquet of the Sigma Delta Chi, honorary journalistic fraternity, at the University of Oklahoma, April 14, according to officers of the organization.

"Take offs" on prominent state officers, members of the university faculty and burlesque of state and national affairs will enliven the banquet which will be attended after the famous gridiron dinner held each year by the capital newspaper men at Washington.

Revival at Westside Mission. The revival meeting at the Westside Baptist Mission is moving along in a fine way. Quite a good crowd was present last night. The singing was conducted by Judson Treadwell and Mrs. Boud presided at the piano. The pastor of the First Baptist church brought a message on the subject, "Our Greatest Danger." At the close of the service there were two conversions.

Quite a number of the members of the First Baptist church are attending and others are urged to attend. Rev. Morris will preach there each evening this week at 7:45.

GOOD EVENING!

The Settee Customer says: "Tobe Tomkins, who goes on trial 1 day for his life by force a woman jury, bought a new suit and spent 5 hours in a barber's chair yesterday. Neighbor Ezra Hepplewhite was injured in the dealer's hand in a poker game last night."

OUR DAILY REMINDER

Both Miss and Matron will appreciate the quality of LOURNAY toilet preparations

THOMPSON'S DRUG STORE PHONE 10

Big Box Supper and Musical Program

At Byng, six miles north of Ada, Friday evening 8 o'clock, April 11th.

Special singing by the choir, quartets, trios, duets and solos. Several visiting singers will be present. The program of the evening will be under direction of Frank M. Lynn, teacher, composer and evangelistic singer. After the singing a most delicious supper—the boxes will be sold by Col. A. A. Lucas of Ada.

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In the
**Days of
Poor Richard**

By
IRVING BACHELLER

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For a time Jack abandoned the idea, but later, when Solomon failed to return from a scouting tour and a report reached camp that he was captured, the young man began to think of that rather romantic plan again. He had grown a full beard; his skin was tanned; his clothes were worn and torn and faded. His father, who had visited the camp bringing a supply of clothes for his son, had failed, at first, to recognize him.

December had arrived. The general was having his first great trial in keeping an army about him. Terms of enlistment were expiring. Cold weather had come. The camp was uncomfortable. Regiments of the homesick lads of New England were leaving or preparing to leave. Jack and a number of young ministers in the service organized a campaign of persuasion and many were prevailed upon to re-enlist. But hundreds of boys were hurrying homeward on the frozen roads.

One day Jack was sent for. He and his company had captured a number of men in a skirmish.

"Captain, you have done well," said the general. "I want to make a scout of you. In our present circumstances it's about the most important, dangerous and difficult work there is to be done here, especially the work which Solomon Binkus undertook to do. There is no other in whom I should have so much confidence. Major Bartlett knows the part of the line which Colonel Binkus traversed. He will be going out that way tomorrow. I should like you, sir, to go with him. After one trip I shall be greatly pleased if you are capable of doing the work alone."

Orders were delivered and Jack reported to Bartlett, an agreeable, middle-aged farmer-soldier, who had been on scout duty since July. They left camp together next morning an hour before reveille. They had an uneventful day, mostly in wooded flats and ridges, and from the latter looking across with a spy-glass into Bruteland, as they called the country held by the British, and seeing only, now and then, an enemy picket or distant camps. About midday they sat down in a thicket together for a bite to eat and a whispered conference.

"Binkus, as you know, had his own way of scouting," said the major. "He was an Indian fighter. He liked to get inside the enemy lines and the close an' watch 'em an' mebbe hear what they were talking about. Now an' then he would surprise a British sentinel and disarm him an' bring him into camp." Jack wondered that his friend had never spoken of the capture of prisoners.

"He was a modest man," said the young scout.

"He didn't want the British to know where Solomon Binkus was at work, and I guess he was wise," said the major. "I advise against taking the chances that he took. It ain't necessary. You would be caught much sooner than he was."

That day Bartlett took Jack over

Solomon's trail and gave him the lay of the land and much good advice. A young man of Jack's spirit, however, is apt to have a degree of enterprise and self-confidence not easily controlled by advice. He had been traveling alone for three days when he felt the need of more exciting action. That night he crossed the Charles river on the ice in a snowstorm and captured a sentinel and brought him back to camp.

Soon after that the daring spirit of the youth led him into a great adventure. It was on the night of January fifth that Jack penetrated the British lines in a snowstorm and got close to an outpost in a strip of forest. There a camp fire was burning. He came close. His garments had been whitened by the storm. The air was thick with snow, his feet were muffled in a foot of it. He sat by a stump scarcely twenty feet from the fire, seeing those in his light, but quite invisible. There he could distinctly hear the talk of the Britishers. It related to a proposed evacuation of the city by Howe.

"I'm weary of starving to death in this God-forsaken place," said one of them. "You can't keep an army without meat or vegetables. I've eaten fish till I'm getting scales on me."

"Colonel Rillington says that the army will leave here within a fortnight," another observed.

It was important information which had come to the ear of the young scout. The talk was that of well-bred Englishmen who were probably officers.

"We ought not to speak of these matters aloud," one of them remarked. "Some — d — Yankee may be listening like the one we captured."

"He was Amherst's old scout," said another. "He swore a blue streak when we showed him into jail. They don't like to be treated like rebels. They want to be prisoners of war."

A young man came along with his rifle on his shoulder.

"Hello, Bill!" said one of the men. "Going out on post?"

"I am, God help me," the youth answered. "It's what I'd call a h—l of a night."

The sentinel passed close by Jack on his way to his post. The latter crept away and followed, gradually closing in upon his quarry. When they were well away from the fire, Jack came close and called, "Bill!"

The sentinel stopped and faced about.

"You've forgotten something," said Jack, in a gentle tone.

"What is it?"

"Your caution," Jack answered, with his pistol against the breast of his



emy. "I shall have to kill you if you call or fail to obey me. Give me the rifle and go on ahead. When I say go to the right, how to the left."

So the capture was made, and on the way out Jack picked up the sentinel who stood waiting to be relieved and took both men into camp.

From documents on the person of one of these young Britishers it appeared that General Clarke was in command of a brigade behind the lines which Jack had been watching and robbing.

When Jack delivered his report the chief called him a brave lad and said: "It is valuable information you have brought to me. Do not speak of it. Let me warn you, captain, that from now on they will try to trap you. Perhaps, even, you may look for daring enterprises on that part of their line."

The general was right. The young scout ran into a most daring and successful British enterprise on the twentieth of January. The snow had been swept away in a warm rain and the ground had frozen bare, or it would not have been possible. Jack had got to a strip of woods in a lonely bit of country near the British lines and was climbing a tall tree to take observations when he saw a movement on the ground beneath him. He stopped and quickly discovered that the tree was surrounded by British soldiers. One of them, who stood with a raised rifle, called to him:

"Irons, I will trouble you to drop your pistols and come down at once."

Jack saw that he had run into an ambush. He dropped his pistols and came down. He had disregarded the warning of the general. He should have been looking out for an ambush. A squad of five men stood about him with rifles in hand. Among them was Lionel Clarke, his right sleeve empty.

"We've got you at last—you d—d rebel!" said Clarke.

"I suppose you need some one to swear at," Jack answered.

"And to shoot at," Clarke suggested.

"I thought that you would not care

branch of the imperial family, will matriculate in literature next month. Heretofore the imperial princes have been educated in special schools or by private tutors.

for another match with me," the young scout remarked as they began to move away.

"Hereafter you will be treated like a rebel and not like a gentleman," Clarke answered.

"What do you mean?"

"I mean that you will be stumping, blindfolded against a wall."

"That kind of a threat doesn't scare me," Jack answered. "We have too many of your men in our hands."

CHAPTER XV

In Boston Jail.

Jack was marched under guard into the streets of Boston. Church bells were ringing. It was Sunday morning. Young Clarke came with the guard beyond the city limits. They had seemed to be very careless in the control of their prisoner. They gave him every chance to make a break for liberty. Jack was not fooled.

"I see that you want to get rid of me," said Jack to the young officer. "You'd like to have me run a race with your bullets. That is base ingratitude. I was careful of you when we met and you do not seem to know it."

"I know how well you can shoot," Clarke answered. "But you do not know how well I can shoot."

"And when I learn, I want to have a fair chance for my life."

Beyond the city limits young Clarke, who was then a captain, left them, and Jack proceeded with the others.

The streets were quiet—lulled almost to death. There were no clatter of hoofs, no sound of wheels. A crowd was coming out of one of the churches. In the midst of it the prisoner saw Preston and Lady Hare. They were so near that he could have touched them with his hand as he passed. They did not see him. He noted the name of the church and its minister. In a few minutes he was delivered at the jail—a noisome, ill-smelling, badly ventilated place.

The yard was an opening walled in by the main structure and its two wings and a wooden fence some fifteen feet high. There was a ragged, dirty rabble of "rebel" prisoners, among whom was Solomon Binkus, all out for an airing. "The old scout had lost flesh and color. He held Jack's hand and stood for a moment without speaking."

"I got sick one day an' couldn't hide 'cause I were makin' tracks in the snow so I had to give in," said Solomon. "Margaret has been here, but they won't let 'er come no more 'count o' the smallpox. Sends me sutlin' tasty ev'ry day or two. I tol' 'er all 'bout ye. I guess the smallpox couldn't keep 'er 'way if she knowed you was here. But she won't be 'lowed to know it. This 'ere Clarke boy has pisoned the jail. Nobody'll come here 'cept them that's drugged. He's got it all fixed fer ye. I wouldn't wonder if he'd be glad to see ye rotted up with smallpox."

(Continued Tomorrow)

TULSA—Assurance that the St. Louis and San Francisco railway is backing Tulsa's efforts in building a union station, was given city officials here recently by J. R. Koonis, vice-president of the road.

When Tulsa finally obtains the station, it hopes to have the most modern yet constructed on the St. Louis and San Francisco system, city officials declared. There also are plans under advisement for the elevating of all railway tracks into the city to relieve the impending traffic problems of Tulsa, according to Mayor Herman Newblock.

Burbank's Hull-less Barley. SANTA ROSA, Calif., April 7.—Luther Burbank's new hull-less barley has been named "California hull-less." The creation is the result of many years of work. It threshes out like wheat and is said to be an enormous yielder.

The Burbank tomato again has been introduced. It ripens in June, and the seeds can be replanted immediately and will produce another crop in the same season.

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OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., April 8.—Oklahoma City is host to two national presidents of the allied legion organizations this week.

Robert J. (Bob) Murphy, Nora Springs, Ia., head of the La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chevaux will be guest of honor at state conference of officers of the "box car" society, April 8. Representatives from all veterans in the state will be present, according to William Corde, department adjutant of the legion.

Mrs. Franklyn Lee Bishop, national president of the American legion auxiliary, was the guest of honor of the Oklahoma City unit April 7. Mrs. Bishop, prior to her election as national president, was in charge of the organization work of the Massachusetts department of the auxiliary, serving later as department president and executive committee member from Massachusetts, and in 1923 as chairman of the national reconstruction committee.

A luncheon was given for her at the Huckins hotel. Prominent auxiliary workers from all over the state attended.

The latest check of membership figures for the Oklahoma department shows that 74 posts already have exceeded their maximum membership for 1923. Three posts comprise the Honor List published every two weeks by the Oklahoma Legionnaire, according to the adjutant. They are: Alva, Apache, Altus (colored), Bristow, Blackwell, Bixby, Boloy (colored), Canton, Cherokee, Carmer, Chickasha, Chandler, Cheyenne, Cordell, Carnegie, Caddo, Custer City, Cache, Capron, El Reno, Erick, Foss, Fairfax, Fairview, Frederick, Granite, Gatebo, Gould, Grandfield, Haskell, Hugo, Hitchcock, Hennessy, Hobart, Hartshorne, Halderton, Hastings, Kay City, Kiowa, Konawa, Lone Wolf, Lamont, Muskogee, Mulhall, Mountain View, Marietta, Mounds, McLoud, Minco, Ochelate, Okarche,

Pond Creek, Pawnee, Pawhuska, Perkins, Paulton, Port, Quinton, Ringling, Rush Springs, Sayre, Sulphur, Stroud, Southard, Soper, Tishomingo, Tahleah, Tonkawa, Vinita, Waurika, Waynoka, Walters and Wister.

A contest is on for the designation of the official legion band of Oklahoma. Ponca City, Cushing, Woodward, Apache and Ada have entered. The decision will be made at the state convention of the legion in Ada, next July.

Pawnee legion now is in the midst of a bond sale for the community hall and legion home sponsored by the Pawnee post. More than \$25,000 worth of bonds have been sold. The building will include an auditorium with seating capacity of 1,000, gymnasium, headquarters for the two national organizations at Pawnee, meeting halls for all civic and patriotic organizations of the city and legion club rooms.

An enthusiastic legion rally was held at Drumright April 1 for legion posts of Drumright, Okton, Cushing and service men in general. Cody Fowler, department commander and Mrs. Jennie Stewart, national vice commander of the legion auxiliary were among the speakers. It was held under auspices of the Drumright vulture of the 40 and 8 society.

SEVERE EARTH SHOCKS FELT IN ENGLAND

LONDON, April 5.—Severe earth-shocks occurred last night in the Derbyshire coal fields and in the neighborhood of Alfreton. Shocks were first noticed at about eleven o'clock and were more violent than any of those experienced early in March when the earth disturbances were first noticed. Many buildings were shaken and windows vibrated loudly. The oscillations were accompanied by dull uncanny noises. Apparently light damage was done although the shaking of strata in the colliery workings has caused some anxiety.

BRISTOW, Okla.—A "Jack Walton barbecue" will be one of the features of the Bristow Entertainment of the National Editorial association which come to Oklahoma in May. The editors will be in Bristow May 21.

A reproduction of the famous barbecue at Oklahoma City when former Governor J. C. Walton took office will be staged, even to barbecued rabbits and coffee made in an oil tank.

Tokio Will Build Memorial to 31,000 Earthquake Dead

TOKIO.—To preserve the memory of 34,000 persons who perished by burning and suffocation in the former military clothing depot in Honjo ward the afternoon of the September catastrophe, the city of Tokio plans to erect a memorial hall to cost 1,000,000 yen.

The holocaust of the Honjo military depot was the most appalling incident of Tokio's day of disaster. Thousands took refuge in the open space of several acres, thinking to escape the flames. A sudden change of the high wind brought down on the multitude a heavy curtain of flame, smoke and gasses, killing practically every one of the huddled throng.

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Oklahoma City is laying plans to capture the 1925 convention of the Oklahoma De Molays.

A drill team is being whipped into shape and campaigners are preparing to flood the Enid convention on May 1, 2 and 3 with capital propaganda.

Several hundred members of De Molay and friends will make the trip to the Enid convention local officers state.

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UNEARTH ANCIENT TOWNS AMONG ARIZONA HILLS

(By the Associated Press)

TUCSON, Ariz., April 9.—Ruins of ten villages, estimated to be more than 1,000 years old, have been discovered in the hills northwest of here by Byron Cummings, professor of anthropology at the University of Arizona, and his students.

The shells of these villages resemble the famous ruins of Casa Grande, but are on a smaller scale. Like the villages of many of the earlier aborigines of North and South America, these consisted of but one large house each, divided into numerous adjoining rooms.

The excavations indicated that the ten communal dwellings represented two distinct eras, separated perhaps by a few hundred years. In the villages of what was deemed the earlier period the floors were of clay and the walls had been made by plastering clay around a number of upright sticks. In the later homes stones had been worked in with the clay and sticks. Remains of pottery were found on the sites of some of the villages.

Professor Cummings said some of these community houses had held as many as 100 persons. According to his estimate, the later villages were built about 1,000 years ago, while the earliest of the group probably were made a great while before. Further excavations in the vicinity are planned.

IMPERIAL COLLEGE STUDENT WILL BREAK OLD PRECEDENT

TOKIO—Tokio Imperial University shortly is to have its first student of the imperial blood. Prince Fujiwara Yamashina, younger brother of the head of the Yamashina

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ARISTOCRATS OF GERMANY WIDELY AID THEIR GLASS

(By the Associated Press)
LEIPSIK.—The association of German Aristocrats has more than tripled in membership during the last three years. From an organization founded by 20 noble Prussians some 50 years ago, it now claims an enrollment of 15,000.

The association has become very active in educational work, and has established schools in several population centers where members of aristocratic families may take courses in cooking, household management and nursing, and learn other duties pertaining to the home. Considerable attention, too, has been paid by the members of late to teaching social hygiene. A recent report of the directors sets forth plans for additional housing facilities for old people's rest homes conducted by the association, where dependent aged men and women of the society may spend their last days in peace and comfort.

The average time limits for baseball in major leagues range from an hour and a half to an hour and forty-five minutes. In the last nineties the game average was nearly three hours.

Former Tulsa Man Is Selected Head Of Houston Schools

(By the Associated Press)
HOUSTON, Texas.—E. E. Oberholtzer, former superintendent of the Tulsa school system, and still a resident of that city, was unanimously elected superintendent of the Houston schools Monday night. He will succeed R. E. Cousins who has resigned in order to accept the presidency of the state normal school at Kingsville, Texas.

Oberholtzer was elected largely on his record as superintendent of the Tulsa schools, of which he was in charge for nine years, having been elected in 1913 and resigned early in 1923.

The Houston position carries a salary of \$9,000 for the first year and \$10,000 for the second year. He will take his new position about June 1.

Houston now has a school enrollment of about 33,000 and is facing a big expansion program. A bond issue of \$2,000,000 to \$4,000,000 is contemplated at once to erect new buildings and enlarge structures now in use.

THOMPSON GETS SENTENCE ON PLEA OF GUILTY

CHICKASHA.—"Blackie" Thompson was sentenced to serve 25 years in the state penitentiary at McAlester today when he pleaded guilty to the robbery of the First State bank of Rush Springs on August 3, 1923, before District Judge M. W. Pugh of Marlow. Thompson's trial in district court had been set for April 10.

Neal McWhirt, alleged to have been implicated in the robbery and his sister-in-law were found dead at Pawhuska three weeks ago, shortly after McWhirt had been liberated on bond of \$20,000. A coroner's verdict said McWhirt killed the woman and committed suicide.

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FRED DENNIS TO BE TRIED—IF POSSIBLE

(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY.—Fred Dennis, wandering former bank commissioner, is to be brought to trial in the Canadian county courts, if possible, just as soon as the court convenes. J. T. McIntosh, attorney for the banking department announced Tuesday.

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"Before taking Tanlac I had been trying everything for three years in my efforts to get rid of stomach trouble, but just kept on getting worse and worse. My digestion seemed wrecked and I would suffer pain

KLAN CANDIDATE ELECTED MAYOR OF MUSKOGEE

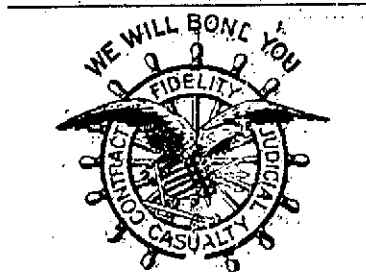
(By the Associated Press)
MUSKOGEE, April 8.—F. B. Beall, Ku Klux Klan candidate for mayor, was elected at the city election Tuesday. The vote was: Beall, 4,566; R. B. Beard, leading the citizens' non-klan ticket, 3,589. The Klan filled all nine vacancies on the city council with approximately similar majorities.

A total of 8,473 votes were polled. A few minor instances of violence marked the day, and a district court issued a restraining order against city policemen, special sheriff's deputies and city firemen from molesting voters at the polls.

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—C. A. Cummings, Chancellor; Commander; Robt. T. Williamson, K. of R. S.

Ada Chapter No. 73, O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month. The second Thursday will be business and the fourth initiation and social.—Margaret Peay, W. M.; Cora H. McKeel, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 26, Knights Templar Masons meets third Wednesday night of each month.—LAYTON CHILCUTT, E. C.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—E. C. PEAY, W. M.; P. C. SIMS, Secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—MILES C. GRIGSBY, High Priest, JOHN GARDNER, Secretary.

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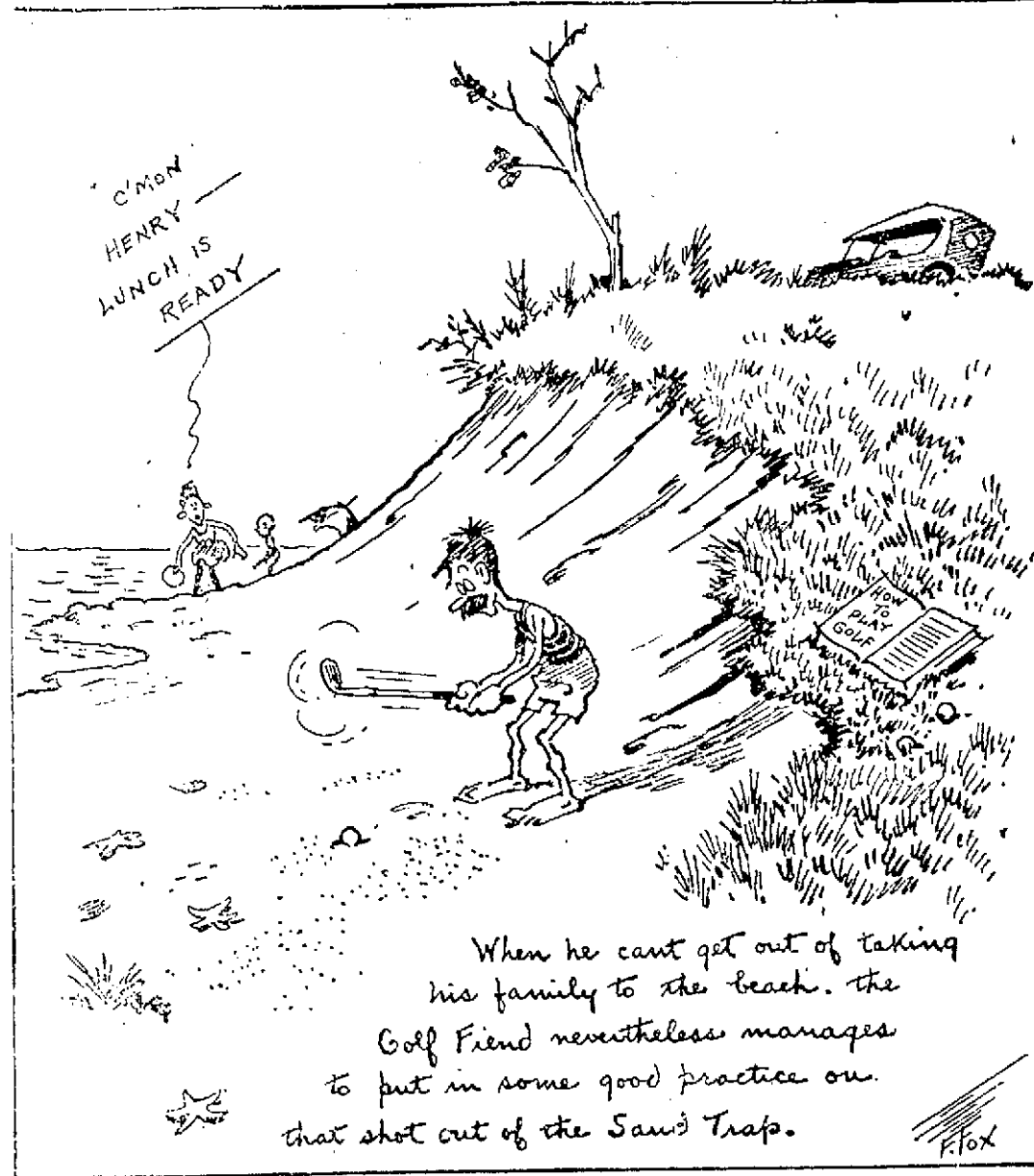
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No. 118—Lv. Daily 3:33 a. m.

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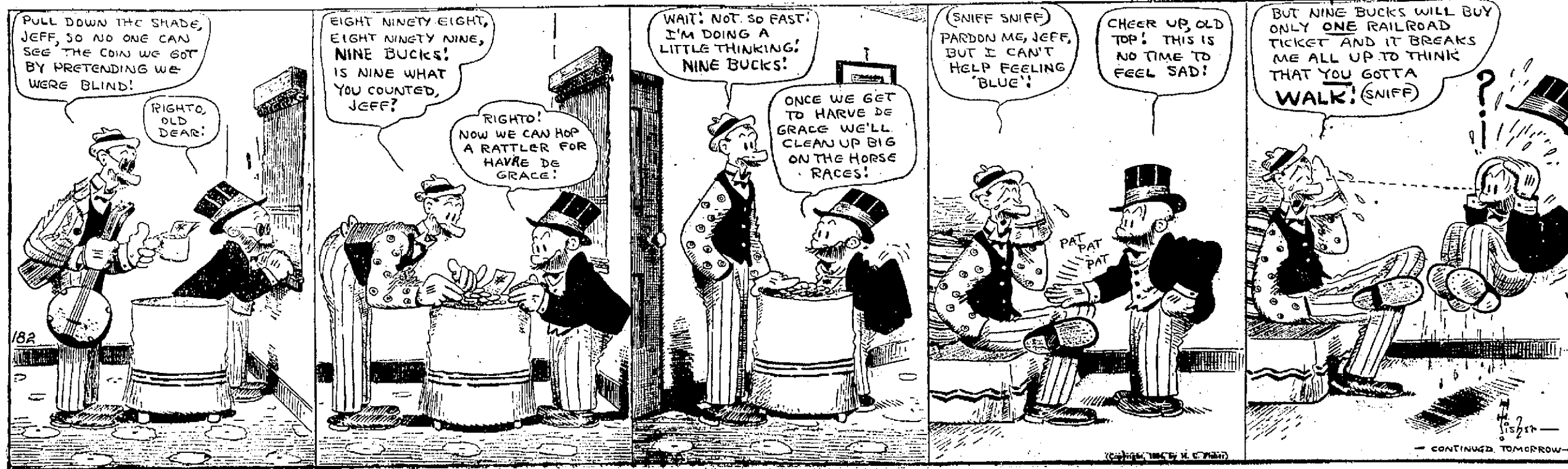


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MUTT AND JEFF—Mw Word, Isn't Mutt the Tender-Hearted Old Thing?

By Bud Fisher



Farmers' Column

By Mrs. M. H. H. H.

Produce Bulletin.
CHICAGO, April 8.—The volume of eggs reaching the market is increasing each week and is now approximately the same as a year ago. The market today is reflecting an easier tone, due to the fact that most of the shipments for Easter trade have gone forward, and the demand from now on will be principally for current use and storage. Dealers, remembering the losses on storing eggs last year, are loath to take them on at the prices now ruling.

More attention is being given to the problem of improving the general quality and character of eggs marketed. The following suggestions were taken from the U. S. Department of Agriculture bulletin: "To Egg Producers: Do you know that your eggs will be worth more money if you—

1. Produce infertile eggs by removing the roosters from the flock, except when eggs are required for hatching.
2. Provide clean nests and keep eggs clean.
3. Do not wash eggs.
4. Gather eggs promptly and keep in a cool, dry place.
5. Market them at least twice each week.
6. Insist that they be bought on a quality, graded basis."

The last suggestion is very important, as producers who take good care of their eggs and produce fine quality should undoubtedly receive a better price than the average run.

There has been a full supply of live poultry on the eastern market, with no noticeable changes on fowl. A great deal of the poultry that is now being purchased in the country is for the approaching Jewish holidays, known as Passover, April 19 and 20, and Last Passover, April 25 and 26.

The confidence displayed in the butter market toward the end of last week was of short duration. On April 5, the New York market declined 2 cents a pound on Extras, with lower quotations ruling in Chicago. The stocks of butter, while not excessive, are larger than a year ago, importations are heavier, and no doubt, the overshadowing influence right now is the large cargo of over a million pounds of New Zealand butter which has been unloading in New York for the past week. The season is getting well along into spring; the make of butter will probably show a constant in-

crease, and further declines may be expected.

April 1 Crop Review.
OKLAHOMA CITY, April 8.—The condition of winter wheat in Oklahoma the latter part of March promises one of the best years in production the state has ever seen. While growth of the crop has been somewhat retarded due largely to insufficient sunshine, there is reported in all sections an ample supply of moisture to insure its maturity. The crop is well rooted and maintains excellent health and vitality. Pasturing of wheat has been limited because of its backwardness and this combined with a shortage of feedstuffs has placed cattle in poor to fair condition.

The condition of wheat the latter part of March was estimated by the Board of Agriculture as being 85 percent of normal, as compared with 82 percent on the first of March this year. This year's April 1 condition is 5 points above the condition of April 1 last year. Conditions this year have been much more favorable than those of last year. Freezes during the month of March this year have been less severe, moisture is ample at present while last year high winds and lack of rain caused much permanent injury. Last year green bugs were reported in ten counties at this time, while this year not a single report of this kind has been received. Judging from present conditions, it is expected that the abandoned acreage will figure but slightly in the final yield. The principal wheat growing districts of the state show the highest condition figures. The condition by districts follows:

Northwest, 88 percent; West Central, 88 per cent; Southwest, 88 per cent; North Central 84 per cent; Central, 88 per cent; South Central, 81 per cent; Northeast, 74 per cent; East Central, 77 per cent.

A note of interest on the world wheat crop of 1924 is here given. Countries, which produce 70 per cent of the winter wheat of the world (excluding Russia), have a reduced acreage of 5 per cent as compared with last year, according to the International Institute of Agriculture. The U. S. Department of Agriculture estimates a 14 per cent reduction in the U. S. spring wheat acreage. If this is added, the world acreage, so far reported, indicates a reduction of about 6 per cent.

Rye usually has a higher condition than wheat, and at this time it proves no exception, although the condition stands as 86 per cent of normal or 1 point higher than the condition of wheat. A marked contrast is seen this year over last, when the condition of rye was 78 per cent of normal on April 1.

The supply of farm labor is slightly more plentiful than at this time

HOPES TO MAKE BROOKLYN RETAIN THREE SOUTHPAWS



Nelson Green in action.

Young Nelson Green, southpaw obtained by the Brooklyn Dodgers from Richmond in the Virginia league, is making a big hit with Uncle Robbie as the scramble for regular berths with the Brooklyn team becomes tighter. Green believes that he can make Robbie keep three lefties — Dutch Henry, Walter Reuther and himself. Danny McPhee and Wee Tommy Long are disputing the third man job.

last year, according to our correspondents. The supply of this labor stands as 98 per cent or a normal supply, while last year the per cent was 96. The farm labor situation is gradually balancing. The supply of labor is 4 per cent more than the demand, while last year at this time it was 13 per cent more, the year previous 20 per cent and 24 per cent in 1921.

The condition of all livestock remains unfavorable due largely to feed shortage and lack of pasture. Weather conditions have also aided in the low figure being reported and in some sections mortality has resulted from the cold. The

condition of stock on April 1 was 77 per cent of normal.

Oats have probably suffered more than any other crop from the freezes during March. No figures are yet available as to the exact damage, and although the direct injury done may be but small the extreme wet weather will cause considerable to be planted to other crops that was intended for oats.

The prospects for a good fruit crop are better than Oklahoma has had for several years. The cold weather in February and early March did much good in holding in check fruit bud development, so that the equinoctial storms did little or no damage. The warm days that followed brought fruit buds out rapidly and when the cold snaps, accompanied with frost, came on March 31 and April 1, it looked doubtful for our fruit, but observations showed little or no damage done locally.

Reports from Blackwell indicate the damage to fruit to be negligible. Reports from Guthrie indicate plum damage less than 10 per cent, apricots killed, but peaches safe. Reports from Woodward indicate great damage to apricots, 30 per cent loss on peaches, and 10 per cent loss on plums varying on the different varieties. There was some damage in the vicinity of Okmulgee, but no definite report has been received. Reports from Muskogee indicates less than 5 per cent damage. Report from Ardmore are to the effect that injury to other fruits, Oklahoma orchards bud so profusely, that a certain per cent of injury may be done and there will still remain prospects for a bumper fruit crop.

C. D. CARTER,
State Statistician.

First Baptist Prayer Meeting.

The mid-week prayer meeting of the First Baptist church will be held this evening at the church beginning at 7:30. It is hoped that a goodly number will be present.

J. LUDSON TREADWELL,
Educational Director.

French Fear Earthquakes.

PARIS.—The prevalence of earthquakes in Japan is given as the reason for the decision of the French government to abandon the plan of erecting an embassy building in Tokio. A bill recently introduced in the French Chamber and sponsored by the government, asks authority to sell the site purchased in 1912.

The bill reads: "The cataclysm which has brought desolation to Japan has demonstrated the inopportunity of erecting so important a construction as had been planned." The amount accruing from the sale of the site of the proposed embassy will be applied to reconstructing the old one.



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Attention Republicans

The County Convention will be held at the Court House in Ada, Oklahoma, Thursday, April 10, 1924, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of selecting delegates to the Shawnee Convention April 22, 1924, and the State Convention to be held at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, April 23, 1924, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

All Republicans including the ladies are especially invited.

W. P. CHISM, State Committeeman

A. H. CONSTANT, County Chairman

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